

Cowles Meade Home
Washington, Miss.

H.A.B.S. No. Miss-7

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PHOTOGRAPHS
WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA
DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

Historic American Buildings Survey
A. Hays Town , District Officer
713 Standard Life Building
Jackson, Miss.

COWLES MEADE HOME
Washington, Adams County, Mississippi

Owner (Or Custodian)

Mr. and Mrs. Hess

Date of Erection

1807

ArchitectBuilderPresent Condition

Fair

Number of Stories

Two

Materials of ConstructionFoundation

Brick

Floors

Wood

Exterior Walls

Frame Siding

Interior Walls

Frame and Plaster

Roof

Corrugated Tin

Other Existing RecordsAdditional Data

This house was the former home of Governor Cowles Meade and later became the home of Miss. first geologist B.L.C. Wayles. Very simple in design and construction. The only elaboration evident being the interior and most noticeable of interior treatment are the delicate lace-like hand carved wood mantels.

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